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Applicant(s): Hiroshi IWATA et al.

Invention: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE FOR A NON-VOLATILE MEMORY (as amended)

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2;

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this page; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.